

## **Vana-Mahotsav Plantation Program on 19<sup>th</sup> September 2025**

Sri Venkateswara college of Engineering & Technology organized an event of Tree Plantation Programme of “Vana-Mahotsav” at Our adopted village of Chinaraopalle NSS Programme Officer with Student volunteers of 40 members and 2 faculty members were present during the event.

A plantation program is an initiative that involves planting trees and other plants to address environmental issues like climate change, deforestation, and soil erosion.

NSS Programme officer along with 2 faculty members and 40 students of B.Tech (1<sup>st</sup> semester) were present in the Garden. We explained about the importance of plantation and has motivated student to plant trees and water it every day until their academic session. The event aimed to plant about 40-50 saplings at adopted place of Chinaraopalle Primary schools gardens and nearby temples.

At first all students were provided with the saplings. Teachers also participated in that event and guided student how to plant the saplings. A Banner was also designed by the event organiser to plant trees and was hung there to raise awareness in the people about the needs of tree plantations.

A very auspicious tree plantation programme was organized in our locality to create awareness regarding climate change and its adverse effect on us. The program started very early for this tree plantation programme was the chairman of our locality sir A range of 40 plants were planted in a nearby garden and locality to create awareness about saving trees.

Age groups were given specific plants, we took flowering plants and our parents were given medicinal plants. The old age group had the responsibility to check whether the plants were planted properly or not.

### **Objectives**

1. To enhance the green cover of the College environment.
2. To educate students about the ecological benefits of trees.
3. To encourage students to take part in community service activities.
4. The purpose of plantations is to save the environment which is endangered and to keep alive the beauty of our life.
5. Trees are god gifts of nature. They are also known as the best buddies of humans.
6. As the world is facing the issue of global warming and other environmental-related problems to recover from such issues planting trees became one of the most important aspects of life today.
7. It helps to maintain an eco-friendly environment around the whole world and reduces air pollution and improves the greenery.

## Activities-Conducted

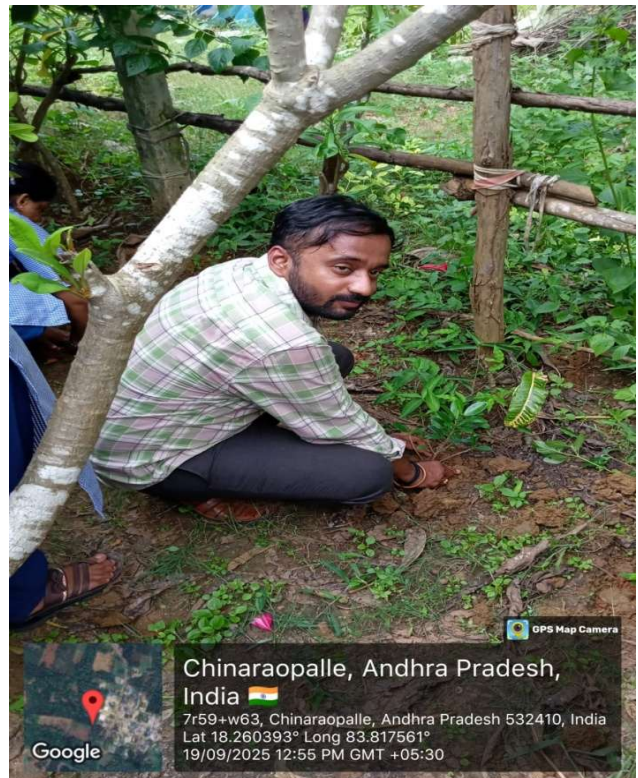
The programme commenced with a brief assembly where the importance of tree plantation was discussed. Students were divided into groups, each assigned a specific area of the school grounds for planting.

- **Preparation:** Students prepared the soil and gathered necessary tools such as shovels, gloves, and watering cans.
- **Planting:** Each group planted saplings of various species, including neem, banyan, and mango trees.
- **Awareness Session:** After planting, a session was conducted to explain the significance of each tree species and how they contribute to the environment.

The Tree Plantation Programme is an initiative aimed at promoting environmental awareness and encouraging students to participate in activities that contribute to the betterment of the environment.

- The Tree Plantation Programme was organized in our school to promote environmental sustainability and to instill a sense of responsibility towards nature among students. The event aimed to plant trees within the school premises and educate students about the importance of trees in our ecosystem.
- He has briefed about synthetic medicine and herbal medicine and the importance of herbal medicine over all the synthetic drugs. After that NSS PO guided student about the cleanliness drive and led student to collect all the polybag of the saplings in the dustbin. Finally, the event was ended with much warm and enthusiastic applause.
- A group of Students planted many flowers and specially neem trees at the boundary of colony as it contains medicinal properties and it will become a very huge tree and we will play under it.
- The program ended at 12:00 PM and we were all given snacks to eat. We all planted total of 100 trees and marked it as our best establishment as a locality. By the end of the tree plantation programme we all were exhausted and wanted to sit under the tree already present in the garden.
- Our NSS Student volunteers pledged to plant as many trees as possible near are areas so as to create a very healthy environment and contribute in minimizing the climatic changes.
- We hope that everybody plants a tree in the lifetime and contribute in conserving the nature.





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## Outcomes

- The Tree Plantation Programme was a success, with over 40 trees planted.
- Students expressed enthusiasm and a sense of accomplishment.
- The event not only beautified the school but also fostered a spirit of teamwork and environmental stewardship among students.

## Conclusion

The “Vana-Mahotsav” Plantation program was an enriching experience for all participants. It highlighted the importance of trees in combating climate change and promoting biodiversity. Our school is committed to continuing such initiatives in the future to ensure a greener and healthier environment for generations.

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